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Report indicates population rise

Population estimates for Arkansas counties, prepared by the Industrial Research and Extension Center of the University of Arkansas, show a total estimated increase of 55,000 from 1970 to 1972. Estimated July 1, 1972, figures by county, and the increase numerically and by percentages since 1970, are:

County	July 1, 1972 Provisional	July 1, 1971 (Census)	change, 1970 to 1972 Number	Percent
Total	1,978,000	1,923,295	55,000	2.8
Arkansas	22,200	23,347	-1,100	-4.8
Ashley	25,200	24,976	200	0.8
Baxter	17,600	15,319	2,300	15.1
Benton	54,400	50,476	3,900	7.7
Boone	19,700	19,073	600	3.3
Bradley	13,000	12,778	200	1.7
Calhoun	5,200	5,573	-400	-7.1
Carroll	13,000	12,301	700	5.5
Chicot	17,100	18,164	-1,000	-5.8
Clark	21,200	21,537	-300	-.16
Clay	19,800	18,771	-1,000	-5.5
Cleburne	11,700	10,349	1,400	13.4
Cleveland	6,800	6,605	200	3.6
Columbia	26,500	25,952	500	2.0
Conway	17,000	16,805	200	1.2
Craighead	56,700	52,068	4,600	8.9
Crawford	27,400	25,677	1,800	6.9
Crittenden	46,800	48,106	-1,300	-2.6
Cross	19,300	19,783	-500	-2.5
Dallas	10,500	10,022	500	4.5
Desha	17,900	18,761	-900	-4.8
Drew	15,100	15,157	0	-0.3
Faulkner	33,700	31,578	2,100	6.8
Franklin	11,300	11,301	0	-0.1
Fulton	8,300	7,699	700	8.4
Garland	57,700	54,131	3,500	6.5
Grant	10,800	9,711	1,100	11.0
Greene	26,400	24,765	1,600	6.5
Hempstead	19,500	19,308	100	0.8
Hot Spring	22,700	21,963	800	3.5
Howard	12,600	11,412	1,200	10.7
Independence	23,900	22,723	1,200	5.2
Izard	8,400	7,381	1,000	14.0
Jackson	21,500	20,452	1,100	5.1
Jefferson	83,000	85,329	-2,300	-2.7
Johnson	14,500	13,630	900	6.2
Lafayette	9,300	10,018	-700	-6.9
Lawrence	17,200	16,320	800	5.2
Lee	18,000	18,884	-800	-4.5
Lincoln	12,300	12,913	-600	-4.7
Little River	11,700	11,194	500	4.5
Logan	17,300	16,789	500	2.9
Lonoke	27,200	26,249	1,000	3.6
Madison	9,300	9,453	-100	-1.4
Marion	8,000	7,000	1,000	13.7
Miller	33,500	33,385	200	0.5
Mississippi	61,400	62,060	-700	-1.1
Monroe	14,500	15,657	-1,200	-7.4
Montgomery	5,900	5,821	0	0.6
Nevada	10,300	10,111	200	1.6
Newton	6,200	5,844	400	6.5
Ouachita	29,600	30,896	-1,300	-4.1
Perry	6,200	5,634	600	10.6
Phillips	38,500	40,046	-1,600	-3.9
Pike	9,300	8,711	600	6.8
Poinsett	27,700	26,843	800	3.0
Polk	13,700	13,297	400	3.4
Pope	31,900	28,607	3,300	11.6
Prairie	10,500	10,249	300	2.8
Pulaski	297,800	287,189	10,600	3.7
Randolph	13,300	12,645	600	4.9
St. Francis	30,800	30,799	0	0
Saline	38,600	36,107	2,500	6.8

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Searcy	7,900	7,731	100	1.8
Sebastian	82,100	79,237	2,800	3.6
Sevier	12,000	11,272	800	6.8
Sharp	9,600	8,233	1,400	16.8
Stone	7,200	6,838	400	5.9
Union	44,000	45,428	-1,500	-3.2
Van Buren	8,900	8,275	600	7.1
Washington	80,900	77,370	3,600	4.6
White	42,700	39,253	3,400	8.8
Woodruff	10,400	11,566	-1,200	-10.3
Yell	15,000	14,208	700	5.3